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BRIEF NOTES.

Mr. J. H. Taylor is erecting a new house on Franklin street.
Mr. John G. Keyler is building a new residence on Montgomery street.
Pioneer Lodge F. & A. M. visited Bloomfield Lodge on Tuesday night.
Dr. Harry E. Richards left on Thursday for a short trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas.
General Secretary S. L. Harter will conduct the religious services at Soho, Sunday evening.
John Jenkins and Joseph Mitchell returned from Cincinnati on Monday. They spent a very enjoyable week there.
Pioneer Post Drum Corps furnished the music for the Kearney Sunday School picnic on Wednesday.
Montclair is to have a \$60,000 club house, Lamb & Reich, of New York, are the architects.
The Crescent baseball club of Arlington will play the Y. M. C. A. team on the Washington street grounds on Saturday afternoon.

A. J. Marsh, C. L. Voorhees, Benjamin Meyer, Charles Robotham, Thomas J. Flannery and Charles A. Clark will attend the Gettysburg celebration.
The parade of the Montclair Fire Department on July 4th, promises to be one of the most imposing ever witnessed in the town.

Travel on the new Street Railway between Bloomfield and Orange is exceeding the expectations of the most sanguine. The receipts are highly satisfactory to the Company.

Theodore J. Beam of Bloomfield, has been promoted from a clerkship in the Newark Post Office to a higher position in the New York City Office.

John V. L. Pierson and Joseph Palmer, of the Bloomfield Bicycle Club, have been participating during the week at the Bicycle Tournament in Baltimore, Md. They made the journey on their bicycles.

The vote in Belleville on Tuesday on the bonding question was very light, the scheme meeting with slight opposition. Bonds to the amount of \$50,000 will be issued having twenty years to run. It is thought that they will be taken at four per cent.

Cards have been issued for Mr. Carl's musicals in Newark with pupils, Wednesday evening the 27th. The assisting soloists will be Miss Lucy F. Nelson, soprano, and Mrs. W. S. Canon, contralto.

The Bloomfield Sunday School Association elected the following officers: President, S. L. Hubbard; Vice-President, J. M. Williams; Secretary and Treasurer, Wm. Spaulding; Board of Managers, J. M. Williams, Henry Rassbach, R. G. Morris, John Skinner, Edward Day, C. L. Seibert, H. H. Diddulph, F. H. Carl, W. A. Baldwin, Thomas Smith, C. C. Potter, and J. K. Williams.

Officers Cadmus and Smith were kept busy on Sunday ordering toys and young men from the aqueduct on Newark Ave. Nude bathing is prohibited there during the day. Hundreds of youths come from Orange who apparently pay no attention to the fact.

The case of Dennis Newport and Charles P. Bolger, against the D. L. & W. R. R. Company for injuries received at the Glenwood avenue crossing over a year ago, has at last been decided in favor of the former parties by the Supreme Court. Mr. Newport received \$175 for damages to his wagon, and Mr. Bolger, \$2,000 for personal injuries.

Work has been commenced on the new addition to the Essex County Insane Asylum. The management have long been pressed for more room. The new wing being erected is estimated to cost about \$73,000.

At the Park M. E. Church on Sunday Rev. John A. Monroe's subjects of discourse will be: "The Beauties of Religion in the Home (morning)," and "What to Know and How to Know it (evening)."

The proposed alterations to Berkeley Primary School during the vacation season will deprive the Berkeley Union Sunday-school of a place of meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Essex County Building & Loan Association was held on Tuesday evening, and the following sales made: \$794 at 4 per cent; \$1,000 at 3 1/2-5 per cent; \$1,200 at 3 per cent; \$1,800 at 2 1/2-4 per cent.

Thomas Jordan, of Little Rock Arkansas, and Miss Martha Aiken, of New York, were married at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. J. B. Harvey, on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. J. P. Faucon, of St. Paul's P. E. Church, performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan left the same evening for Little Rock. Henry Latham of Orange, called on a young lady in Brookdale on Sunday night. Two young men seeing his horse and buggy tied to a post in front of the house helped themselves to it and drove off. When Mr. Latham was ready to go home, he found his rig gone. Diligent inquiry was made, and next day he received word that his horse and buggy was in Patterson.

Eastern Star Lodge Knights and Ladies of Honor held a very pleasant picnic on Monday night. There was a large attendance and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The Lodge has elected the following officers: Past-Protector, Anna Jenkins; Protector, Louis W. Bennett; Vice-Protector, Ellis M. Putnam; Chaplain, Anna K. Robb; Secretary, Max A. Koehler; Financial Secretary, George Peterson; Treasurer, John Causbrook; Guardian, Catherine Ingold; Sentinel, Elizabeth Mueser; Trustees, Catharine Herrmann, Catharine Schieffer and Christina Stotz.

Notwithstanding the oppressive heat a large audience gathered in Dodd's Hall on Wednesday night to witness the performance of the Cantata entitled "Mother Goose and her Temperance Family," by the children of the Bloomfield Temperance School. The entertainment was in charge of Mrs. L. W. Smith, Mrs. Wm. Crawford, Miss Lizzie Biddulph and Miss Lillian Baxter. The songs, recitations and dialogues, were well rendered and elicited applause from the audience. The following young people were in the cast: Mabel Van Winkle, Fred Van Arsdale, Rose Zimmerman, Eddie Robotham, Mabel Van Arsdale, Della Gilbert, Jennie Griffiths, Frank Baxter, Ernest Jacobus, Della Baldwin, Frank Stone, Carrie Smith, Lizzie Rassbach, Gilbert Smith and James Smith.

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Some Points on Coal.

SCRAPS OF INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM A BLOOMFIELD DEALER IN THE DUSKY DIAMOND.

Passing by the coal yard of Mr. Charles Murray, one of Bloomfield's leading dealers, the other day, and noticing the large supply on hand for this season of the year, we dropped into the office and inquired the reason for it.

Wise people, like the ants, lay in their winter supply during the summer and then they don't mind the blizzards, Mr. Murray replied.

Isn't it rather early in the season to make winter investments?

No. Consumers of large quantities generally buy about this time of the year, and small consumers whose means will allow of it are profiting by their example.

Isn't \$5.50 a high price for stove coal at this season of the year?

Yes, but the indications are that it will go higher.

When?

Between now and the first of August. Among the members of the combination probably.

Yes, some put it that way, but properly speaking it will be among the dealers in the best brands, for no retail dealer can purchase these except he is a member of the New Jersey Coal Exchange.

What will the advance be?

It will be from 15 to 25 per cent on the wholesale rates.

What will cause an advance?

The natural cause of demand. As soon as the cold weather begins to set in people who are not now in a position to lay out from \$30 to \$50 in coal must do it then.

Why don't you supply them on an installment plan?

The wholesale dealers will not wait for their money. The dealers in Lehigh coal are prompt in their demand of payment.

There is such a demand for their coal that they do not resort to bolstering up dealers who have not the capital to buy with. Nevertheless we are always willing to make favorable terms with responsible parties.

What do you call the best quality of coal?

Lehigh brands.

Is there much difference in quality between the various brands of Lehigh?

Yes, they vary in wholesale price nearly 40 cents per ton. The very best Lehigh comes from four mines.

Which are they?

The Jeddo, Hazleton, Sugar Loaf and Spring Mountain.

What mine is the coal in these heaps taken from?

The Jeddo mine.

How much is there in them?

Nearly 1,800 tons and about 1,000 more to be delivered yet.

WATERSESSING NOTES.

Mr. Walter Madison is erecting a new residence on Meadow street.

Mr. Samuel Ellor will lead the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Saturday night.

Rev. J. H. Hayter and Mrs. Hayter, were the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Greenbank during the week.

Martha Edgerly, 12 year old daughter of Thomas Edgerly, of Mary avenue, fell from a hammock on Wednesday, and broke her arm.

Mr. Theodore Roebuck, New York City, and Miss Bertha Grant, of Norman street, East Orange, were married on Wednesday afternoon in St. Paul's P. E. Church by Rev. J. P. Faucon.

Rev. Elbert Clement of the Watessing M. E. Church, will begin a series of sermons next Sunday evening. The title of the course will be "God manifest in the Flesh, or Savior men and women of the Bible." The particular subjects will be announced from Sunday to Sunday.

The family of Mr. John Hyde, of Watessing, met with a sad bereavement last Saturday, in the death of their little boy Willie, a bright and promising member of the family. After a brief but severe struggle, he succumbed to that fatal disease, diphtheria. The little fellow was in his third year. His loss is deeply mourned by his parents, and the sympathies of friends and neighbors are extended to them in their hour of trial. The funeral, which was very private, was held on Sunday afternoon.

The numerous cases of scarlet fever, diphtheria and sore throat that have occurred of late have aroused a deep interest in sanitary matters. The drain known as Garden's Brook, which receives all the surface water from the property between Orange street and the D. L. & W. R. R. south of the Watessing station has become practically useless and large lakes accumulate in the streets during heavy rains. A petition has been drawn up and will be presented at the next meeting of the Township Committee, requesting them to widen the ditch.

At a regular meeting of Wm. S. Pierson Post No. 58, G. A. R., held June 14th, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Post are hereby tendered to Rev. George C. Seibert, D. D., for the excellent sermon preached by him to the Post on the Sunday evening preceding Memorial Day, and to the pastor, trustees, choir and congregation, of the German Presbyterian Church of Bloomfield, for the use of the church edifice, the music furnished, and the interest shown by all on that occasion.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Post are in like manner tendered to the comrades of John M. Wheeler Post No. 94, of Montclair, for their presence with us in a body on the march and at the exercises in the Cemetery on Memorial Day, and to Pierson Drum and Fife Corps and Mr. Charles S. Seibert and his Singing Class for music furnished at the dedication of the burial plot on that day.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Post are also tendered to Messrs. George W. Cook and Stanford Farrand, members of the Township Committee, and to all the veterans and people who attended at the ceremonies in the Cemetery on Memorial Day.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Post are also tendered to Rev. John A. Monroe and Rev. John M. Enslin, for the part they took in the exercises at the burial plot, and to Rev. E. D. Simons for the very interesting address made by him upon that occasion.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Post are also tendered to the Superintendent of the Cemetery, Mr. Thomas W. Smith, for his assistance and co-operation, and to the people of the township and vicinity generally for their generous contributions of flowers, whereby the graves of our deceased comrades were decorated in an appropriate manner, and also to Mr. Reuben N. Dodd for kindly donating the use of a coach, horses and driver, so that our disabled comrades were enabled to participate in the celebration of the day.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

The Lady of the Tiger continues on its successful way at Wallace's Theatre, New York City, delighting thousands each week with its merry story, charming music, pretty girls, beautiful scenery and handsome costumes. It is seldom that an opera is written that gives such unqualified pleasure to all classes as does this popular work. The comedy is of a character to keep the listeners in a roar of laughter from the rise of the curtain until its fall on the last act, and Mathilde Cotterly, Madeline Lucette, David Tupper and Jefferson are among the stars of the company. In their principal numbers, while the tone between Catherine and Marco and Eugene and Odine are received with equal favor and applause. One of the pleasantest features of the theatre to summer visitors is an enormous cooling apparatus, through which constant currents of fresh air are forced over tops of ice, and into the auditorium, keeping the temperature always pleasant, so that one can enjoy the programme with comfort.

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Date.	Premiums Paid.	Am't of Policy.	Am't of Additions.	Value as a Claim.	Cash Value if Surrendered.
1st Period 20 yrs. Aug. 31, 1867	\$1,458 00	\$3,000	\$2,206 16	\$5,206 16	\$1,800 74
20 " " " Aug. 31, 1872	1,822 29	3,000	3,057 41	6,057 41	2,498 25
30 " " " Aug. 31, 1877	2,187 00	3,000	3,774 63	6,774 63	3,229 43
40 " " " Aug. 31, 1882	2,551 50	3,000	4,462 63	7,462 63	3,771 93
50 " " " Aug. 31, 1887	2,916 00	3,000	5,080 63	8,080 63	4,746 50

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